

# UNION — Y-12 BULLETIN

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Y-12'S UNITED FUND CAMPAIGN QUOTA BY DIVISION		
Division	Quota	
Accounting, Budget & Scheduling	\$ 1,010	
Assembly	3,696	
Development	5,737	
Engineering	7,001	
Fabrication	19,730	
Industrial Relations	1,365	
Maintenance	20,608	
Materials & Services	3,031	
Metal Preparation	9,242	
Product Engineering	1,554	
Shift Superintendents & Utilities	4,305	
Superintendents	1,447	
Technical	10,111	

## Divisions' Quotas Are Given As United Fund Drive Is On

Does my Division have a quota ization's history. in the current United Fund? The down by division, fairly distributfrom your solicitor.)

TOTAL PLANT QUOTA

October 17. (The Bulletin will ers. begin tabulating division results in next week's edition.)

A slide projector is being in-stalled in the lobby of the Cafeprogress made in this year's campaign. Day-to-day results will be minor damage. shown in the sound-on-film show.

United Fund of your choice. This ergency workers. breaks down into giving a little at a time . . . so that you hardly notice it . . . and it makes it convenient for the agencies involved. (They receive a check each month from our Payroll Office.)

in the Mississippi-Louisiana area strike our own area. . . will rank as the most costly hurricane operation in the organ- | Share" yet?

Zooming costs may even rank plant's quota of \$89,000 is broken Betsy as the third most costly disaster operation of any kind. ed by payroll in each department. So far, more than 29,000 families (You may obtain your own department's "Needed Share" Quota 4,000 more are expected to seek assistance. More than 800 Red Meanwhile, the first report of Cross staffers are now on the job, pledges began coming in Monday, plus over 10,000 volunteer work-

\$88,726

Latest figures show that Betsy killed 59 persons; injured some 17,552 . . . of which 673 were hospitalized. Damage to homes: teria to inform employees of the 1,568 destroyed; 21,188 with major damage; and 136,715 with

Solicitors in every department the two state area suffered loss are urging employees to partici- and the Red Cross has provided pate in the payroll deduction early mass care for more than method of contributing to the 200,000 disaster victims and em-

> Red Cross assistance to disaster victims is an outright gift. No loans are made; no repayment is required or expected.

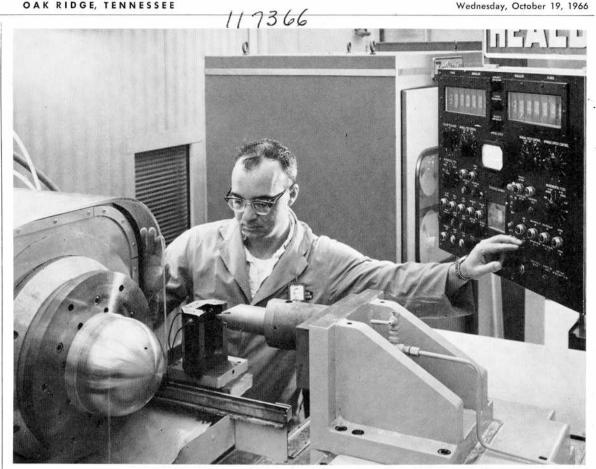
That's where part of your United Fund dollar goes. None of us Meanwhile, Red Cross officials is immune to disaster, either. Alhave reported that Hurricane though we are rarely affected by Betsy . . . the devasting hurricane hurricanes, disaster can, and does

Have you pledged your "Needed ship is obtained.

oped in Y-12.

the machine's cutting tool in relation to the work piece, thereby eliminating a possible source of operator error.

relationship is incorrect, the sys-



A. L. HALL, G-3 PROCESSING, operates an automatic tool-setter system for use with a numerically-controlled turning machine. The system was developed in Y-12, and cuts down on the possibility of operator error. J. B. Richards, Mechanical Development, recently described the innovation at the Seventh International Machine Tool Design and Research Conference, Birmingham, England.

## **Automatic Tool-Setter** System Developed In Y-12

An automatic tool-setter for use A total of 167,752 families in with a numerically - controlled ability of tool path accuracy even turning machine has been devel-

The device automatically aligns

positions of the tool and the work chining of materials used in the piece, once the work piece is nation's space, defense and nuattached to the spindle. If the clear energy programs. tem signals the motor control units to adjust the work and tool slides until the correct relation-

The tool-setter assures repeatafter cutting tool replacement.

Fabrication and installation of the system, requiring no radical changes in the tape program, cost approximately \$4,000.

The device is considered an important step in the continuing The system senses the relative development of error-free ma-

(A paper describing the use and fabrication of this automatic tool-setting system was presented by J. B. Richards, Y-12's Mechanical Development, at the Seventh International Machine Tool Design and Research Conference, Birmingham, England, held in place drawing for \$10 and two for September of this year.)

#### DIRT BRICKS

Bricks made from dirt may one tives (depending on the kind of

#### SAFETY SCOREBOARD

The Y-12 Plant Has Operated 55 Days Or 1,586,000 Man-Hours Through October 16 Without A Disabling

> Injury Phone 3-7755 (Unofficial Estimate) For Daily Report
> On Accident-Free Hours

## Y-12 Credit Union Sets Open House Sunday, October 30

Come help your Credit Union celebrate its Fifth Birthday in its new office. An Open House will be held by the Y-12 Credit Union, Sunday, October 30, from 2 until 5 p.m. There will be cash door prizes, coffee and cookies, and a chance to meet the staff and talk.

Door prizes will include a first prize of \$50, one \$25, one \$10 and three \$5 for runner-up. You must be a member to be eligible for these drawings . . . so bring your badge along for proof of membership when you register at the

For non-members and family members there will be a first

There will be an information desk where employees may sign up for membership (members day compete with fired clay joining on that day will be eligibricks and concrete blocks as ble to participate in the drawings construction materials. Dirt bricks as any member can). At the desk are a mixture of asphalt and soil will also be information on loans along with certain chemical addi- for real estate, autos, educational and others; personal counciling, soil used) which are compressed the Savings Plan, and any other under high pressure and cured. information you may want to know about your Credit Union.

> The hospitality table will have coffee and cookies for all guests . . . members or no.

> So plan to come on out and help the Y-12 Credit Union celebrate its Fifth Birthday in the handsome building on Lafayette and Illinois Avenue. It's also International Credit Union Day to make the celebration a double-barreled

> Remember, that date now . . . from 2 til 5 p.m., Sunday, October

Also remember, THE CREDIT UNION IS YOURS . . . USE IT!



THE METAL PREPARATION DIVISION has solicitors for the United Fund distributed in all of its locations. Seated, from left, are Hallie Wade, Ruth Wright, Denny Roberts, Ed Isham, Bob McAlister, Marcus Potter and Jim Thorpe, divisional chairman. Standing in the first row are George Kirtland, Omar Hatmaker, Warren Seymour, Al Hinton, J. O. Stephens, Jim Parker, W. F. Smith, an unidentified solicitor, and Henry Swallows. In the back row are Ed Crass, Larry Webb, Ted Higgins, Spence Wallace, Dewey Nichols, V. C. Beckner, John Pyatt, Al Fisher, and Lon Dunsmore. Apologies to the unidentified man . . . we tried.

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## **Huber Delivers** Paper For AWS

Richard A. Huber, Metallurgical Development, delivered a paper at the American Welding Society's National Fall Meeting, held in St. Louis the first week of October. The paper was co-authored by P. W. Turner, also of Y-12's Metallurgical Develop-

"Electron-Beam Welding" was the subject of the invited paper. The first electron-beam welder was installed in Y-12 in 1961. It was an early model, and appeared from working that many of the claims for electron-beam welding as rare. had been over-stated. Enough work was accomplished, however, to indicate that the process did have potential applications.

The "heart" of an electronbeam welder is the electron gun which generates and shapes the electrons into a usable beam. It consists of a heated cathode, usually made of tantalum or tungsten, which emits electrons. These electrons are accelerated and shaped by the potential between the cathode and anode with suitable forming electrodes or grids.

The electron-beam welding process has grown from a laboratory curiosity to a production tool in a relatively short span of years primarily because of its unique ability to provide very narrow, deeply penetrating welds which give a minimum of distortion and shrinkage. Some of the other publicized a d v a n t a g e s include welding or refractory and reactive metals, welding in a high-purity vacuum environment, welding unusual dissimilar metal combinations, and even welding of ceram-

Huber also described some of the advantages to the system in of the world is running out. the paper. He concluded by describing some of the many safety features of the electron-beam welding equipment, stating: "It appears that the equipment is at least as safe as conventional welding equipment where an operator may come in contact with high current during the welding operation. There have been no accidents of any kind associated with either the operation or maintenance of the electron-beam welders since their installation.

#### 'J-Arc Facility' Topic At Thermonuclear Talk

J. F. Potts, Thermonuclear Division, will conduct this week's seminar. His subject will be "The J-Arc Facility: Its Engineering Features and Experimental Possibilities.'

The seminar is set for tomorrow, Thursday, October 20, at 9 a.m. in the TD Conference Room, Building 9201-2.



ACID ALLERGY SPURS IM-PROVEMENT!

In hot forming parts from flat metal plate, it is often necessary to seal the metal in a doublewalled, thin steel wrapper to keep the metal from oxidizing during the pre-heat step.

After schronching the assembly in a press to the desired shape, it's then necessary to shell the nut. The normal method consists of acid dipping which dissolves the steel and hopefully does not disturb the metal part.

Handling acid at best is a mess. Don Scott and Paul Turner, Metallurgical Development, think so too. They've got the problem half licked. The outer wrap is now removed by applying heat to the steel while keeping the inside metal cool. This scheme picks up over \$2,000/year excluding savings by not exposing product metal to acid. Don likes the new way so much he doesn't plan to stop till he can remove the inner wrap the same way.

P. S. About last week's plant laboratory water analysis savings. We want it known that Bob Thornton supplied the brainwork. Joe Stewart's assistance was purely administrative. That takes brains, too . . . but of a type not

### **ORCMA Coffee Concert** Set Sunday, October 23

The Oak Ridge Civic Music Association presents its first Coffee Concert this Sunday, October 23 . . two performances at 7:30 and 9 p.m. The concerts will be held in the sanctuary of the Unitarian Church.

The Oak Ridge Quartet (Irving Spiewak, first violin; Jacinta Howard, 2nd violin; Ray Blanco, viola; and Waldo Cohn, cello) will perform a String Quartet by Mendelssohn. James Bresee, baritone, will sing songs of his own selection, accompanied by Mrs. Ruth Fisher at the piano. James and Barbara Marabel (cellist and violinist) will play a selection by David Van Vactor, director of the Knoxville Symphony Orchestra.

The ORCMA coffee concerts are free an dopen to the public. Refreshments are served during Thursday at 9 p.m. intermission

## A FRIEND IS A FRIEND

running in to help when the rest



THE ASSEMBLY DIVISION assembles nine of its United Fund solicitors who will call on fellow employees this week. They are from left, J. K. Raper, Toy Moon, Jim Wylie, Ernie Collins, John Brown, A. J. Price, Bill Gross, E. T. Taylor and Kenny Baker.



Two riders wanted to join car pool from East Village, Oak Ridge, to North or Biology Portals, straigh day. J. R. Cullipher, phone 3-5944, home phone Oak Ridge 483-1943

One car pool member wanted from Rocky Hill vicinity, Knoxville, to any portal, straight day. J. K. Cox, plant phone 3-5281 home phone Knoxville 588-0143.

Ride wanted from Lenoir City to North Portal, straight day. Betsy Dutton, plant phone 3-5048, home phone Lenoir City 986-3681.

Ride wanted, or will join car pool, from Clinton (vicinity of Walker Chevrolet) to Central or West Portal, straight day. Benny tion agencies. Houser, plant phone 3-7201, home phone Clinton 457-1197.

## **Dance Group Meets** Thursdays At 9 p.m.

Single? Like to dance? would like to learn how? If you are single and interested in dancing or learning to dance, you are invited to the Coral Room of the Ridge Recreation Hall every

There will be a special Halloween Party Thursday, October 27. A special effort is currently being A friend is the fellow who is made to enlarge the group . . . so come on out and get acquaint-

## United Fund

- More families 25,000,000 are helped by United Fund programs than by any other voluntary effort.
- United Fund volunteers more than 7,600,000 - lead and serve their communities through their United Funds, Community Welfare Councils and member agencies.
- From Labor Day to Thanksgiving 2,225 United Fund and Community Chest campaigns are conducted.
- In 1965 a record \$615,000,000 was contributed through United Fund campaigns.
- More than 30,500,000 individuals, groups and corporations contributed to the United Fund.
- · These once-a-year appeals support 30,000 local, state and national health, welfare and recrea-

#### **AEC Procurement Aids Tennessee Economy**

Tennessee firms furnished more than \$16,000,000 in supplies, equipment and services for Atomic Energy Commission activities here during fiscal year 1966.

The purchases were reported by Union Carbide's Central Procurement Office which listed total procurement in fiscal year 1966 at approximately \$50,000,000.

In addition to Tennessee, other southern states sharing in the procurement were Georgia (\$4,695,-000); North Carolina (\$786,000) and Kentucky (\$198,000).

## Lunar SNAP-11 Test Successful

A nuclear generator designed originally for use on the moon has successfully completed a 90-day test under simulated lunar conditions at Oak Ridge National Laboratory.

The 20-watt generator, designated SNAP-11, is fueled from the largest amount of the radioisotope curium-242 ever assembled. The test represents the first demonstration of electric power production from this isotope in a thermoelectric generator.

The Martin Company, Baltimore, developed the generator for the Atomic Energy Commission; and ORNL produced and encapsulated the curium fuel and conducted the test.

SNAP-11 was developed as part of the AEC's Systems for Nuclear Auxiliary Power program, and is one unit of several in the series designed for use in space exploration. Successful completion of the 90-day test demonstrated significant advances in radioisotope power technology which will be beneficial for future use of isotopic fuels for space missions.

The use of curium-242, which has a half-life of 162 days, permitted fabrication of the most concentrated isotopic power course to date, resulting in considerable savings in total weight of the power generation system. As the isotope decays, it gives off heat which is converted directly into electrical energy by thermoelectric elements grouped around the fuel core.

The test of SNAP-11 began on July 12 in a vacuum chamber designed to permit the extreme temperature variation necessary to simulate lunar conditions. The test schedule provided for operation of the unit for five days in the vacuum chamber at minus 235 degrees Fahrenheit simulating lunar night and then for 80 days at 235 degrees Fahrenheit representing the lunar day. This was followed by another five days unnight schedule was revised to substitute an additional 24 hours of operation under lunar night conditions to provide for more data.

The production of curium began about 13 months ago at ORNL with fabrication of americum-241 target rods. These rods were irradiated to produce the curium fuel. Twenty grams of curium were produced and separated, and 7.5 grams or 25,000 curies providing 900 thermal watts at the time of encapsulation, were used as fuel for the generator.



**DEVELOPMENT DIVISION SOLICITORS** for the United Fund include (seated from left) Fred Childress, Harwell Smith, Jeannette Bieber, Anna G. Dobbins, Norris Parrott, Harlan Wright and R. E. Webb, division coordinator. Standing are Jerry Cadden, Bill McWhorter, Ed White, John Hurst, Robert Hobbs, Joe Arrowood, and Bill Maxey.





OLD-STANDING TEAMS IN THE CLASSIC Bowling League face the firing squad. At top, the Splinters-from left, Elmer Johnson, John S. Reece, Frank Thurman, M. C. Bays, and R. G. Marlar. Captain Harry Keen was getting a drink of water when the picture was made. In the lower picture, the All Stars—Otto Briscoe, Captain Tom Pappas, Bill Hackett, Al Townsend and H. D. White-

## **Bumpers Bump Eightballs To Assume** Classic Bowling League's Top Spot

The Bumpers barged their way | played a 644 handicap series. into first place in the Classic Bowling League last week . . . thanks to a three-point win over the Eightballs.

Big sweeping four-point wins went to the Swingsters over the Screwballs, the All Stars past the Smelters, the Tigers over the Splinters, and the Playboys past the Eagles.

Three pointers were picked up as the Cubs overcame the Rebels, the Markers out-marked the Has Beens and the Rippers tore into the Wasps.

Ed Beeler, Playboys, rolled high in single counting, a 231 scratch, 264 handicap game. Clyde Crave, Bumpers, bowled a 574 scratch series and Dave Smith, Playboys,

## Basket-Volleyball Players Paged!

Tall men of the world, unite! Or you short ones that like to play basketball, join the party too.

The Recreation Department is already making plans for the Basketball League's beginning. There will be teams from all three Union Carbide plants in these environs . . . just like last year. Play will probably be on Monday and Wednesday, just as usual also.

If you have a team already organized, or want to get on a team . . . just give Recreation a ring . . . at extension 3-7109.

(We were just kidding about that tall stuff, too!)

The Recreation Department is also paging Y-12ers interested in volleyball action. The plant had four big teams in last year's V-Ball League . . . and the Beavers took the big crown.

Volleyballers, you should call the same number . . . 3-7109.

The Swingsters swung onto the boards in scratch tallies . . singles of 882, series of 2531. and the Tigers posted high in handicap count . . . singles of 1038, series of 2999.

League standings follow:

Team	W
Bumpers	16
Smelters	15
Cubs	14
Swingsters	14
Rebels	13
Has Beens	13
Markers	13
All Stars	13
Tigers	13
Screwballs	12
Eightballs	11
Splinters	10
Rippers	10
Wasps	9
Playboys	9
Eagles	7

SOME CURE

Psychiatrist: "Congratulations you are now cured."

here as Napoleon . . . now I'm October 22 just another nobody."

Dock . . . N

## Rollers Keep Slim Mixed Edge

The Rollers kept a slim lead in the Mixed Bowling League last week despite a three point loss to the Roses 'N Thorns. Other teams moved up, taking four point sweeps from their opponents, as the Twisters tamed the Alley Cats, the Goofers galloped past the Hits & Misses, and the Novices cornered the Mustangs.

Dixie Stinnett, Twisters, rolled a 167 scratch, 220 handicap single to capture female honors. Libby Scates, subbing on the Goofers' squad, scored a series of 435 scratch, 597 handicap. Male bowlers saw C. R. Lively, Rollers, roll a 221 scratch, 239 handicap game. His 525 scratch series was high also. Paul Hatmaker, Novices, sallied forth with a 625 handicap

Team honors were gleaned by the Rollers, posting a 673 scratch, 822 handicap single score. The Mustangs mustered a 1786 scratch series . . . and the Rollers returned to the boards with a 2334 handicap series.

League standings follow:

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Team	W
Rollers	15
Twisters	14
Mustangs	14
Goofers	13
Novices	_ 12
Alley Cats	. 11
Roses 'N Thorns	_ 10
Hits & Misses	. 7

## **Shifters Planning** Smallmouth Rodeo

The alphabet-soup Shift crowd (E, F, G, H and J) have gone allout for their big Smallmouth Bass Tournament Saturday. Just look at the prizes.

For the biggest smallmouth (fish, that is) a single barrel 12gauge shotgun will be given away. In descending order, other prizes are an umbrella tent, Coleman camp stove, sleeping bag, chest cooler, fly rod, boat seat, auto-matic fly reel, fish barometer and hunting knife, Sportsman's lantern, belt axe and boat net, tackle box and fish balance . . . and a dock award yet to be chosen.

Boat reservations at Stardust will have to be made by each fisherman himself. They may call Oak Ridge 494-7997 for reservations. Laverne and Dale Culbertson say that bait, food, drinks and all accessories will be available at the dock.

Registration for the Rodeo is from 6 until 10 a.m. . . . weigh-in period from 4 p.m. until 5 p.m. This contest is for the smallmouth bass only, and minimum weight is 12 ounces.

Any Y-12 employee or member of his immediate family is eligible Patient: "Some cure. I came in to participate. That's Saturday, Stardust Boat Dock . . . Norris Lake.



"Buxton is responsible for more rejects that anyone else in the plant, but worse than that is his attendance—it's perfect."



Y-12ER G. W. BREWER SWINGS at a fast one in the Table Tennis League. League action began recently as 20 employees from the three UCC installations make up the two leagues. Ping pong is played each Monday night at 7 p.m., at the Wildcat's Den.

## Recreation



Saturday, October 22 SMALLMOUTH RODEO: 6 to 5 p.m., Norris Stardust Boat Dock. E, F, G, H and J Shifts. All Y-12ers welcome.

Monday, October 24 BOWLING: 5:45 p.m., C League,

Ark Lanes. TABLE TENNIS: 7 p.m., Wildcat's Den.

BALLROOM DANCE IN-STRUCTION: 7, 8, 9 p.m., Coral Room, Ridge Recreation Hall.

Tuesday, October 25 PHYSICAL FITNESS: 7:30 p.m., Oak Ridge High School Gymnasium.

Wednesday, October 26 SMALLBORE RIFLE LEAGUE: p.m., Clinton Indoor Range.

BOWLING: 8 p.m., Mixed League, Ark Lanes.

Thursday, October 27 BOWLING: 5:45 p.m., Classic League, Ark Lanes.

PHYSICAL FITNESS: 7:30 p.m., Oak Ridge High School Gymnasium.

BADMINTON: 7 p.m., Jefferson Junior High School Gymnasium.

Saturday, October 29 TURKEY - HAM SHOOT: B Shift. 8:30 a.m., Oak Ridge Sportsmen's Association.

## **B Shift Sets Ham-**Turkey Shoot Oct. 29

B Shiftmen are planning a big Turkey-Ham Shoot, Saturday, October 29. Firing begins at 8:30 a.m. at the Oak Ridge Sportsmen's Association Range.

First place winners on each relay will win a big turkey . . . and second placers will take a will be 23 relays for adults . and two for kids (anyone under 16). Every fifth relay will bring a pause for a drawing, too.

nooting is 50¢ at t Come on out for the fun!

#### \$10 MILLION MARKET

Agricultural uses of plastics will account for a market of some \$10 million in 1966. One of the most advantageous applications is the use of plastic films to help conserve water and prevent pollution. Used as a covering, plastic film makes arid land more productive. As a ditch lining it prevents seepage in open ditch irrigation. And, as a pond lining, plastic film helps check pollution.

## **Badgers** Lead C Bowling Group

The big Badgers barged forth to change the lead again in the C Bowling circles last week by taking the Rollmasters for the full count. The only other sweep saw the Rodders ram past the Par-

Three point claims were posted by the Sunflowers over the Rounders, the Big Five past the HiLifers, and the Royal Flush round the Invalids. Sharing two points were the Strikers and Fireballs.

Clyde Craven, Rollmasters, bowled the high scratch game of the night with a 204. The Fireballs' McPherson and Royal Flush's Woody tied on handicap singles, each with 233. Billy Sise, Big Five, zeroed in on series counting, rolling a 579 scratch, 657 handicap total.

The Rodders counted high on singles, 887 scratch, 1050 handicap. Their 2445 scratch series was high also. The Badgers bowled a 2929 handicap series.

League standings follow:

Team	W	L
Badgers	14	6
Sunflowers	13	7
Strikers	13	7
Rounders	12	8
Rodders	12	8
Big Five	10	10
Fireballs	9	11
Parbusters	8	12
Invalids	8	12
Rollmasters	7	13
Royal Flush	7	13
HiLifers	7	13

### **Uranium Prospecting Prospects Brighten**

Wide-scale uranium prospecting, which was virtually suspended as a result of the limitations on the Atomic Energy Commission procurement imposed in the late 1950's, is now being resumed in this country and a number of other countries. Past exploration in three-pound tinned ham. There the United States resulted in uranium being discovered in amounts that depended largely on the scale of the exploration. Although future exploration may not discover uranium at as rapid a rate as in the past, the amount of new ore discovered generally will be related to the amount of effort in the search, it is believed.

#### WHAT'S THE RUSH?

Sure, you're late. You might just make it if you hurry—put on the steam. How many times has this rushed feeling been with you recently? Get smart and give yourself time to get things done without rushing. You'll probably live longer and enjoy each day



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## After January 1, Bulletin Mailing List Needs Zip! Says Uncle Sam

Hey, there . . . does your ad-| If your Zip Code is missing or Zip Code number?

Please check it out. About this time last year we sent out a post card . . . and got a healthy return (about 85 per cent) of our supplementary mailing list. This list includes non-employees such as retirees, fellow editors, and other interested parties.

dress in the above box have a incorrect just cut the mailing slot out . . . correct the Zip, or add it, and send it back to the Y-12 Bulletin, Union Carbide Corporation, Nuclear Division, P.O. Box Y, Oak Ridge, Tennessee 37830.

Come January 1, Uncle Sam says if there isn't Zip to the mail (ours, that is) . . . forget it!



"There is something in October that sets the gypsy blood astir.' Astir also are a few more fellow Y-12ers marking important dates with Union Carbide Corporation. Congratulations

20 YEARS

Ernest L. Pugh, Machine Maintenance, October 22.

John M. Johnson, Process Maintenance, October 25.

15 YEARS

Mack D. Wyrick, SS Warehous-

ing and Shipping, October 20.

Cecil M. Lane, Machine Maintenance, October 21.

Baxter O. Crump, A-2 Shops, 9212, October 22. James W. Doane, Metallurgical

Development, October 22. Frank M. Wise, Stores Depart-

ment, October 22. Monroe C. Davis, Janitors Department, October 24.

William J. Sims, Buildings, Grounds and Maintenance Shops, October 24.

## NEAT PACKAGES

Many of the neat packages you buy in your food market these days are made possible by "plastic with a memory." New "shrink with a memory." New "shrink type" plastic packaging films are strethced during manufacture. Store personnel loop the film loosely around meat, vegetables and other products which are then run through a short "tunnel" heated at 250 degrees. The heat unlocks the film's "memory" and it tends to shrink back to its original size, leaving a neat, tightly wrapped package.



"All you have to do to be a good secretary is look like a girl, think like a man, and work like a dog."

## UT Nursing School For Y-12 Daughter



Phyllis A. Johnson

E. H. Johnson, General Expediting and Auxiliary Services, is a mighty proud papa these days. Daughter Phyllis Ann recently

won a nursing scholarship, presented by the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, Lodge 1684, Oak Ridge. She is presently attending the University of Tennessee Nursing School.

The Johnsons live at 101 Kentucky Avenue, Oak Ridge.

### **Good Government Comes** Only To Those Who Work

Have you ever thought about who was the most important politician in the world? A simple three-letter word is the answer. YOU. If your primary interest lies in good government, the only way you can assure this is get busy. Investigate your precinct . . . many of its workers are professional people like yourself. Interested parties who want a better government for themselves and for their children.

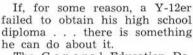
Remember, drones are a drag on the hive. How busy are you?

#### HOW'S THAT AGAIN?

Poster in Police Department: "Will the person who took the three-layer chocolate cake from the sergeant's desk please return it. It is needed as evidence in a food poisoning case."

Safe conditions are good, but safe men are better.





The General Education Development Test (commonly known as GED) is given at the University of Tennessee. Anyone passing this examination is given a certificate showing he has the equivalent of a high school education.

The GED test is in five parts: English Grammar, General Math, Natural Science, Social Studies and Interpretation of Literary Materials. The last three parts are given by the applicants reading paragraphs, then answering multiple-choice questions.

The test may be taken at Temple Court, 804 Temple Avenue, at the University of Tennessee, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday hours are from 8 until 12 noon. No appointment is necessary. Anyone, 21 years or older, may take the examination. There is a \$5 fee for the test.

Employees passing the GED test should advise their supervisors so that the information can be recorded in the employee's personnel record.

#### RARA AVIS-MAN

Man is the only animal that blushes, or apologizes . . . or even has the occasion to.



TAMMY COOK, seven - months old daughter of Clyde and Betty Cook poses for Grand-pa Clyde down in the Fire Department. Tammy who lives at Powell with her folks, seems happy about the whole affair. (Betty is remembered in Personnel by folks in 9704-2.)

## Week By Firemen? On Air Pollution

KALEIDOSCOPE-EXPO 67, a pavilion being built in Montreal under the joint sponsorship of Un-

ion Carbide Canada Limited and five other major Canadian chemical companies. The noncommercial pavilion will have "man and color" as its theme. Color was chosen as the theme because it is of common interest to all six companies, whose products have helped brighten man's universe.

Visitors to the pavilion will experience morning, day, evening, and night color effects in succes-

sive stages. Expo 67, an international exhibition that is recognized officially as a world's fair, will

open next April 28 and close October 27. "Man and His World" is the central theme of the fair,



Now what?

So you got "red-flagged" last week. What do you do next?

First off, you must get the details . . . just exactly why your working area got a black-eye from the inspection committee. Was it a blocked fire extinguisher? . . . a messy, cluttered area? . . combustible materials lying around? . . .

In observance of Fire Prevention Week . . . October 9-15 . . . special investigative bodies inspected the entire areas. Throughout every division and building in the plant, these spokesmen and their appointed inspectors took an inventory of fire hazards all over. And they found

The next is up to you, because a re-inspection is coming.

Fire Prevention committeemen throughout Y-12 were Eddie Roberts, J. A. Whitten, George Marrow, T. C. Swindell, Frank Broome, J. W. Minchey, H. Phillips, Bob McAlister, Nick Tronolone, Ernie Bentley, Leo Caldwell, Howard Hicks and Bob Helton. Coordinating these efforts was E. F. Greer, Fire Protection Engineer.

(Our area did not get "redflagged!" The above photo was posed . . . believe it or not.)

line of defense against fires in beyond reason. the plant. Clean areas are generally areas where fires do not have for your own benefit . . . yours a place to start. (In last week's Fire Prevention story it was stat- bring the little flag down, bring ed that fires require two ingredi- the hazard down with it. Make ents . . . ignition and combustible your working area a safe place materials. A purist points out that to be. It's to your own advantage, oxygen is also necessary. Well, as well as the rest of the plant's.

Let's clear the air on air pollution! First off, it's not a new problem. Senaca complained in 61 A.D. about the "stink" and "pestilent vapours" and soot and the heavy air of Rome. In 1257, Queen Eleanor was forced to leave England's Nottingham Palace because of the "unendurable smoke . . . and in the 17th Century John Evelyn complained that "Londoners breathe nothing but impure and thick mist; so that catharrs, coughs and consumptions rage."

Air pollution has always plagued community life. As a matter of fact, the entire atmosphere never was really "clean."

There has always been natural pollution. Even before man there were occasional excesses of things like volcanic ash, dust, sea-salt nuclei, marsh gases, hydrogen sulfide, pollen, spores, bacteria, radioactive materials and other contaminants.

Man-made pollution, however, can be abated.

The Chemical Industry has pooled its manpower, mindpower and moneypower to combat air pollutants. It not only insures the health and safety of its own 900,-000 employees, but it helps neighbor communities solve their problems . . . to find new ways and better ways - through chemical research - to control and prevent future problems.

#### HOME OWNERSHIP

Reflecting the intimate relationship between home ownership and continued prosperity, persons owning their own home now represent more than five of every eight occupied housing units in the United States. The proportion was about 63.5 per cent in the first quarter of 1966, the highest in the U.S. Bureau of the Census records going back to before the turn of the century.

that we have plenty of, too, thank goodness!)

Remember, fire stalks some 135 industrial plants each day. Industry cannot afford these costs. It results in lost production, lost money, and, more seriously, loss of jobs. Some account for a tragic Good housekeeping is the front loss of lives. There the cost gets

Your area was "red-flagged" and other employees. When you